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ABSTRACT

This report presents numerical data for 1990-92 on demographic, social, and educational variables, comparing rural and urban areas of Pennsylvania. Two types of comparisons are provided: (1) rural, urban influence, and urban groupings, based on population density typology (people per square mile and size of the largest community in the county); and (2) rural and urban groupings, where rural counties are defined as having more than 50 percent of the population living in U.S. Census Bureau-defined "rural" places of less than 2,500 people. Each of Pennsylvania's 67 counties submitted data on over 200 variables covering population, vital statistics, housing, education, social indicators, crime, health, employment trends, unemployment, and personal earnings. Educational statistics include levels of educational attainment, number and percentage of public and private school graduates in postsecondary education and the armed services, number of children enrolled in public and private schools, and instructional and transportation expenditures. Information can be reported from the database for any single county in Pennsylvania. (LP)

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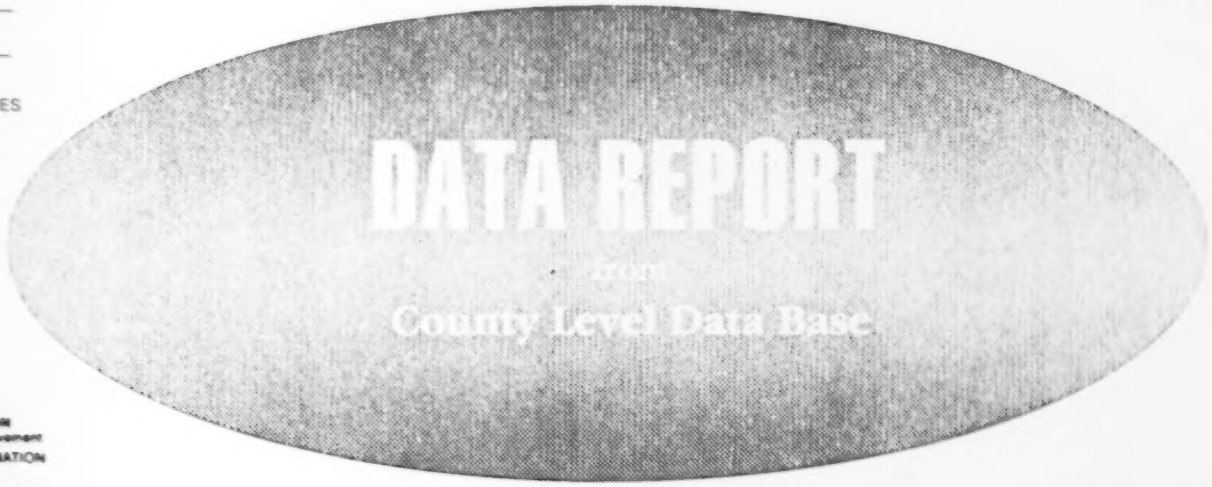

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The Rural Services Institute is pleased to present this revised report of our Pennsylvania county level data base. The data are compiled from existing variables provided by primary data suppliers. A major feature of the RSI data base is that it provides a focus on indicator variables of relevance to rural communities and computations of per capita rates for counties in two classifications: 1) rural, urban influence, and urban groupings, based on a population density typology (people per square mile and size of the largest community in the county) developed by Kenneth E. Martin (1986), and 2) the Center for Rural Pennsylvania's rural and urban groupings where rural counties are defined as having more that 50% of the population living in U. S. Census Bureau defined "rural" places of less than 2,500 people.

This report is intended for the use of officials and citizens with a need for data resources that focus on comparisons of rural counties to other areas of the state. Data for the 67 counties of Pennsylvania are entered into the data system and can be reported for any single county. Data are entered in the data base on over 200 variables covering population, vital statistics, housing, education, social indicators, health, employment/unemployment and personal earnings.

We are very much interested in "consumer" reaction to this data base effort and would appreciate receiving feedback on its utility, limitations, and so on. Please direct your comments to:

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CLASSIFICATION OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNTIES*

Rural Services Institute Classification

Rural	Urban Influenced	Urban**
Bedford	Adams	Allegheny
Bradford	Armstrong	Beaver
Cameron	Butler	Berks
Clarion	Carbon	Blair
Clearfield	Centre	Bucks
Clinton	Columbia	Cambria
Elk	Crawford	Chester
Forest	Fayette	Cumberland
Fulton	Franklin	Dauphin
Greene	Indiana	Delaware
Huntingdon	Lycoming	Erie
Jefferson	Mercer	Lackawanna
Juniata	Mifflin	Lancaster
McKean	Monroe	Lawrence
Perry	Montour	Lebanon
Pike	Northumberland	Lehigh
Potter	Schuylkill	Luzerne
Sullivan	Snyder	Montgomery
Susquehanna	Somerset	Northampton
Tioga	Union	Washington
Warren	Venango	Westmoreland
Wayne		York

Center For Rural Pennsylvania Classification***

Rural		Urban
Adams	Monroe	Allegheny
Armstrong	Montour	Beaver
Bedford	Northumberland	Berks
Bradford	Perry	Blair
Butler	Pike	Bucks
Cameron	Potter	Cambria
Clarion	Schuylkill	Carbon
Clearfield	Snyder	Centre
Clinton	Somerset	Chester
Columbia	Sullivan	Cumberland
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Elk	Tioga	Delaware
Fayette	Union	Erie
Forest	Venango	Lackawanna
Franklin	Warren	Lancaster
Fulton	Wayne	Lehigh
Greene	Wyoming	Luzerne
Huntingdon		Lycoming
Indiana		Mercer
Jefferson		Montgomery
Juniata		Northampton
Lawrence		Philadelphia
Lebanon		Washington
McKean		Westmoreland
Mifflin		York

Rural Services Institute Classification:

* Adapted from Kenneth E. Martin (1986). Assessment of Pennsylvania's Rural Counties, Proceedings: Rural Economic Development in Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania Rural Coalition Annual Conference, September 10-11, 1986, Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania.
Rural Counties: Less than 75 people per square mile and less than 100,000 people.
Urban Influenced Counties: Over 75 people per square mile and less than 200,000 people.
Urban Counties: Over 250 people per square mile or over 200,000 people. **Philadelphia County is not included in the Urban Category of the Rural Services Institute classification. Data for Philadelphia County is available upon request.

*** Center for Rural Pennsylvania Classification: The Center For Rural Pennsylvania uses the United States Census Bureau definition of rural. The U.S. Census Bureau defines rural as a municipality with a population of less than 2,500 and not contiguous to a built-up urbanized area. If at least half (50%) of the residents in the county fit this description, then the county is considered rural.

Table 1
Selected Population Data

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Total Population (1980)	11863895	7541219	1829039	805427	9426457	2437438
2	Total Population (1990)	11881643	7637324	1849360	809382	9433256	2448387
3	% Change Population 80-90	0.15	1.27	1.11	0.49	0.07	0.45
4	% State Population (1990)	100.00	64.28	15.56	6.81	79.39	20.61
5	Population / Sq. Mile (1990)	265.10	558.56	131.77	47.68	572.30	86.40
6	Total Estimated Population (1991)	11961070	7701111	1870185	817143	9486636	2474434
7	% Change Population 90-91	0.66	0.83	1.11	0.95	0.56	1.05
8	% State Population (1991)	100.00	64.38	15.64	6.83	79.31	20.69
9	Population / Sq. Mile (1991)	266.87	563.23	133.25	48.13	575.54	87.32
10	Population Under 18 (1990)	2794810	1771362	438467	205560	2193968	600842
11	% Under 18	23.52	23.19	23.71	25.40	23.26	24.54
12	Population Over 65 (1990)	1829106	1177486	286546	124360	1443654	385452
13	% Over 65	15.39	15.42	15.49	15.36	15.30	15.74
14	Dependency Ratio	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.41	0.39	0.40
15	Rural Population (1990)	3693348	1810851	1208781	673716	1887004	1806344
16	% Population in Rural Areas (1990)	31.08	23.71	65.36	83.24	20.00	73.78
17	Urban Population (1990)	8188295	5826473	640579	135666	7546252	642043
18	% Population in Urban Areas (1990)	68.92	76.29	34.64	16.76	80.00	26.22
19	Total Live Births (1990)	171053	106932	23797	10610	139316	31737
20	Live Births / 1000 Population	14.40	14.0	12.9	13.1	14.8	13.0
21	Infant Deaths (1990)	1627	882	207	79	1363	264
22	Infant Deaths / 1000 Live Births	9.51	8.2	8.7	7.4	9.8	8.3
23	Total Deaths (1990)	121081	74853	18699	8144	95919	25162
24	Deaths / 1000 Population	10.19	9.8	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.3
25	Total Marriages (1990)	84836	55570	13652	6457	66175	18661
26	Marriages / 1000 Adult Population	7.14	7.3	7.4	8.0	7.0	7.6
27	Total Divorces (1990)	39971	23248	6128	5826	28665	11306
28	Divorces / 1000 Adult Population	3.36	3.0	3.3	7.2	3.0	4.6
29	Total Automobile Accidents (1991)	130410	85759	21558	9767	101513	28897
30	Total Accidents / 1000 Population	10.90	11.14	11.53	11.95	10.70	11.68
31	Total Automobile Injuries (1991)	84985	54557	13424	6085	66833	18152
32	Auto Injuries / 1000 Population	7.11	7.08	7.18	7.45	7.04	7.34
33	Automobile Fatalities (1991)	1510	807	372	206	965	545
34	Auto Fatalities / 1000 Population	0.13	0.10	0.20	0.25	0.10	0.22

Table 1

POPULATION DATA

Item #	Notes
1	Pennsylvania State Data Center (1990). 1990 Municipal Population: Pennsylvania (PDSC Publication No. PSDC90-01-91). Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
2	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1990). 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 1A. Washington, DC: Data User Services Division. Items 3, 4 and 5 calculated by RSI.
6	Pennsylvania State Data Center (1993). Pennsylvania State Data Center News, Vol 11, No. 1. Harrisburg, PA: Publication of the Institute of State & Regional Affairs. Items 7, 8, and 9 calculated by RSI.
10, 12, 15, 17	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1990) 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 1A. Washington, DC: Data User Services Division. Items 11, 13, 14, 16 and 18 calculate by RSI. Note: Dependency Rate = (Pop > 65 + Pop < 18) / Tot Pop.
19, 21, 23	Pennsylvania Department of Health (1990). Pennsylvania Vital Statistics, Annual Report, 1990. Table C-24, p. 148. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 20, 22, 24 calculated by RSI.
25, 27	Pennsylvania Department of Health (1990). Pennsylvania Vital Statistics, Annual Report, 1990. Table E-12, p. 209. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Note: Marriage statistics include 52 unknown counties of occurrence. Divorce statistics include 4 unknown counties of occurrence. Items 26, 28 calculated by RSI.
29, 31, 33	Pennsylvania Department of Transportation. (1991). Traffic Accident Facts & Statistics, 1990, p. 15. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 30, 32, 34 calculated by RSI.

Table 2
Selected Social Indicators

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Births To Women Under 20 (1990)	18576	9423	2708	1338	14849	3727
2	% Women Under 20 Giving Birth	10.86	8.81	11.38	12.61	10.66	11.74
3	Infants Born To Unwed Mothers (1990)	49068	24344	5293	2413	41934	7134
4	% Of Infants Born to Unwed Mothers	28.69	22.77	22.24	22.74	30.10	22.48
5	Reported Child Abuse Cases (1991)	23851	13089	3961	1910	18380	5471
6	Sustantiated Child Abuse Cases (1991)	7986	3874	1160	703	6253	1733
7	% Substant To Reported Abuse Cases	33.48	29.60	29.29	36.81	34.02	31.68
8	No. Persons Rec Publ Asst. (1991)	721454	323295	84050	40107	605391	116063
9	% Population Receiving Publ Asst.	6.03	4.20	4.49	4.91	6.38	4.69
10	No. Persons Receiving AFDC (1991)	551492	248146	62608	29448	465445	86047
11	% Population Receiving AFDC	4.61	3.22	3.35	3.60	4.91	3.48
12	No. Persons Rec General Asst. (1991)	167730	73773	21086	10445	138237	29493
13	% Population Receiving General Asst.	1.40	0.96	1.13	1.28	1.46	1.19
14	No. Persons Receiving SSI (1991)	199863	95060	30564	14075	157895	41968
15	% Population Receiving SSI	1.67	1.23	1.63	1.72	1.66	1.70
16	Number of Violent Crimes (1991)	52476	25403	3523	1095	48330	4146
17	Violent Crimes / 1000 Population	4.39	3.30	1.88	1.34	5.09	1.68
18	Number of Rapes (1991)	3342	1862	395	181	2849	493
19	Rapes / 1000 Population	0.28	0.24	0.21	0.22	0.30	0.20
20	Number of Murders (1991)	754	249	32	33	697	57
21	Murders / 1000 Population	0.06	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.07	0.02
22	Number Property Crimes (1991)	361875	219092	40552	15210	312752	49123
23	Property Crimes / 1000 Population	30.25	28.45	21.68	18.61	32.97	19.85
24	Total Number Suicides (1990)	1439	893	220	92	1152	287
25	Suicides / 1000 Population	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.12
26	Criminal Cases Received (1991)	123555	82715	18042	7342	101037	22518
27	Criminal Cases / 1000 Population	10.33	10.74	9.65	8.98	10.65	9.10
28	Juvenile Dependency Cases (1990)	12477	5803	1364	690	10732	1745
29	Juvenile Dependency Rate / 1000 Juv.	4.46	3.28	3.11	3.36	4.89	2.90
30	Juvenile Delinquency Cases (1990)	44590	29438	4586	1928	38763	5827
31	Juvenile Delinquency Rate / 1000 Juv.	15.95	16.62	10.46	9.38	17.67	9.70
32	Juvenile Dependency Cases (1991)	12110	6235	1455	537	10506	1604
33	Juvenile Delinquency Cases (1991)	46798	32006	4996	1823	40656	6142
34	Civil Cases Docketed (1991)	122669	68529	9316	4145	110445	12224
35	Civil Cases Docketed / 1000 Pop.	10.26	8.90	4.98	5.07	11.64	4.94

Table 2

SELECTED SOCIAL INDICATORS

Item #	Notes
1	Pennsylvania Department of Health (1990). Pennsylvania Vital Statistics, Annual Report 1990, Table B-19, pp. 50-51. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Item 2 calculated by RSI.
3	Pennsylvania Department of Health (1990). Pennsylvania Vital Statistics, Annual Report 1990, Table B-23, pp. 58-59. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Item 4 calculated by RSI. (Based on women ages 10-19).
5, 6	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1990). 1990 Child Abuse Report, Table 1, p. 4. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 6, 8, 9 calculated by RSI.
8, 10, 12, 14	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1992). Pennsylvania County Planning Data Kit, 1992 Supplement, pp. 34-35. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 9, 11, 13, 15 calculated by RSI.
16, 18, 20, 22	Pennsylvania State Police Bureau of Research and Development. (1991). Uniform Crime Report Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Annual Report, 1990, Table 2, p. A-2. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 17, 19, 21, 23 calculated by RSI.
24, 25	Pennsylvania Department of Health (1990). Pennsylvania Vital Statistics, Annual Report 1990, Table C-31, pp. 168-169. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
26	Research Department, Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (1991). 1991 Caseload Statistics of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania, pp. 10-13. Court Administrator of Pennsylvania: Author. Item 27 calculated by RSI.
28, 30	Research Department, Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (1990). 1990 Caseload Statistics of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania, pp. 60-63. Court Administrator of Pennsylvania.: Author. Items 29, 31 calculated by RSI.
32, 33	Research Department, Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (1991). 1991 Caseload Statistics of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania, pp. 60 -63. Court Administrator of Pennsylvania: Author.
34	Research Department, Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts (1991). 1991 Caseload Statistics of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania, pp. 18-47. Court Administrator of Pennsylvania: Author. Item 35 calculated by RSI.
26 - 35	Court case allocated in proportion to population for each county in the following pairs when one court serves two counties. (Name underlined is reporting court of the pair). Elk-Cameron, Columbia-Montour, Warren-Forest, Perry-Juniata, Snyder-Union, Wyoming-Sullivan, and Franklin & Fulton.

Table 3
Selected Health Variables

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Total Beds General Hospitals (1990)	49021	30630	6637	3103	40289	8732
2	Gen. Hosp. Beds / 1000 Population	4.13	4.01	3.59	3.83	4.27	3.57
3	Total Beds - Specialty Hosp. (1990)	17355	12414	1312	770	14690	2665
4	Spec. Hosp. Beds / 1000 Population	1.46	1.63	0.71	0.95	1.56	1.09
5	Total Hospital Admissions (1990)	1710673	1110914	222234	83808	1437604	273069
6	Hosp. Admissions / 1000 Population	143.98	145.46	120.17	103.55	152.40	111.53
7	Total Nursing Beds (1990)	89073	58513	15432	6478	68194	20879
8	Nursing Beds / 1000 Population	7.50	7.66	8.34	8.00	7.23	8.53
9	Total Physicians (1991)	25840	18806	2233	839	23116	2724
10	Number Physicians / 1000 Population	2.16	2.44	1.19	1.03	2.44	1.10
11	Total Elderly Units (1992)	61362	43321	9510	4749	47640	13722
12	Elderly Units / 1000 Population	5.13	5.63	5.09	5.81	5.02	5.55
13	No. Handicapped / Family Units (1992)	85033	56877	11154	3391	71764	13269
14	Handicapped / Family Units / 1000 Pop.	7.11	7.39	5.96	4.15	7.56	5.36
15	Total Eligible For Medical Assist.	1354944	641781	202707	101442	1069797	285147
16	Persons Eligible / 1000 Population	113.28	83.34	108.39	124.14	112.77	115.24

Table 3

SELECTED HEALTH VARIABLES

Item #	Notes
1, 5	Pennsylvania Department of Health, State Health Data Center (1992). Selected Data From The Annual Hospital Questionnaire, Reporting Period July 1, 1990 Through June 30, 1991, Report 1-A, pp. 1-12. * Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 2, 6 calculated by RSI.
3	Pennsylvania Department of Health, State Health Data Center (1992). Selected Data From The Annual Hospital Questionnaire, Reporting Period July 1, 1990 Through June 30, 1991, Report 1-B, pp. 1-5. * Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. ** Item 4 calculated by RSI.
7	Pennsylvania Department of Health, State Health Data Center (1992). Data From The Long Term Care Facilities Questionnaire, Reporting Period January 1, 1991 Through December 31, 1991, Report 3. * Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Item 8 Calculated by RSI.
9	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of State, Bureau of Professional & Occupational Affairs (1992). Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Item 10 calculated by RSI. Data indicates number of active licensees by county and class. The class utilized for the purpose of this survey was "medical physician and surgeon."
11, 13	The Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency (1992). The Inventory of Assisted Rental Housing, 1991. Harrisburg, Pa. Items 12, 14 calculated by RSI.
15	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1992). Pennsylvania County Planning Data Kit, 1992 Supplement, 35. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Item 16 calculated by RSI.

* These data were supplied by the State Health Data Center, Pennsylvania Department of Health, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. The Department specifically disclaims responsibility for any analyses, interpretation, or conclusions.

** "Specialty" includes psychiatric; maternity; eye, ear, nose and throat; rehabilitation; orthopedic; alcohol/drug abuse; children; federal; all other types of hospitals, excluding non-federal acute care.

Table 4
Education Profile

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	% Persons w / H.S. Education (1990)	74.67	77.39	72.79	72.88	75.29	72.03
2	% Persons w / Colleg Educ. (1990)	17.94	20.42	13.18	10.65	19.63	11.39
3	Public School Graduates (1991)	104770	68434	19109	9737	77643	27127
4	Private School Graduates (1991)	18317	12204	1057	286	17071	1246
5	Public Grads to Post Grad Educ (1991)	65174	44839	10657	5043	50676	14498
6	Private Grads to Post Grad Educ (1991)	14574	10214	795	203	13660	914
7	Publ Grads to Armed Serv. (1991)	4970	2876	1153	674	3245	1725
8	Priv Grads to Armed Serv. (1991)	296	145	18	10	269	27
9	% Publ Grads to Post Grad Ed. (1991)	62.21	65.52	55.77	51.79	65.27	53.44
10	% Priv Grads to Post Grad Ed. (1991)	79.57	83.69	75.21	70.98	80.02	73.35
11	% Publ Grads to Armed Service (1991)	4.74	4.20	6.03	6.92	4.18	6.36
12	% Priv Grads to Armed Service (1991)	1.62	1.19	1.70	3.50	1.58	2.17
13	Children in Public Secondary (1991)	746459	468439	130133	65833	562779	183680
14	Children in Private Secondary (1991)	80245	53698	5850	1736	73036	7209
15	Children in Public Elementary (1991)	946338	594543	158060	80054	723758	222580
16	Children in Private Elementary (1991)	255499	168500	21286	6069	229854	25645
17	Enrollment in Public Schools (1991)	1692797	1062982	288193	145887	1286537	406260
18	Enrollment in Private Schools (1991)	335744	222198	27136	7805	302890	32854
19	Total Enrollment (1991)	2028541	1285180	315329	153692	1589427	439114
20	% Enrollment in Publ Schools (1991)	83.45	82.71	91.39	94.92	80.94	92.52
21	% Enrollment in Priv Schools (1991)	16.55	17.29	8.61	5.08	19.06	7.48
22	Total Enrollment Sec Schools (1991)	826704	522137	135983	67569	635815	190889
23	Total Enrollment Elem Schools (1991)	1201837	763043	179346	86123	953612	248225
24	% Students Secondary Schools (1991)	40.75	40.63	43.12	43.96	40.00	43.47
25	% Students Elementary Schools (1991)	59.25	59.37	56.88	56.04	60.00	56.53
26	Average Daily Memb - ADM (1990)	1652788.80	1034975.30	282072.95	142981.44	1254351.12	398437.68
27	Weighted Avg Daily Memb - WADM (1990)	1859372.00	1160631.12	317775.27	161698.54	1409862.05	449509.95
28	Actual Instructional Expense (1990)	7351788143	4853159514	1047067603	523722646	5891472066	1460316077
29	Transportation Expense (1990)	500984895	316944390	85844682	50731450	372356352	128628543
30	Act. Inst. Expense / ADM (1990)	4448.11	4689.15	3712.05	3662.87	4696.83	3665.11
31	Act. Inst. Expense / WADM (1990)	3953.91	4181.48	3294.99	3238.88	4178.76	3248.68
32	Transport. Expense / ADM (1990)	303.11	306.23	304.34	354.81	296.85	322.83
33	Transport. Expense / WADM (1990)	269.44	273.08	270.14	313.74	264.11	286.15

Table 4

EDUCATION PROFILE

Item #	Notes
1, 2	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1992). 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 3A. Washington, DC: Data User Service Division.
3, 5, 7	Pennsylvania Department of Education (1992). Public and Nonpublic Schools: High School Graduates 1991, Appendix B, p. 12 - 13. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 9, 11 calculated by RSI.
4, 6, 8	Pennsylvania Department of Education (1992). Public and Nonpublic Schools: High School Graduates 1991, Appendix D, p. 16 - 17. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 10, 12 calculated by RSI. *
13 - 19, 22, 23	Pennsylvania Department of Education (1992). Public and Nonpublic Schools: Enrollments 1991-92, Appendix A, p. 11. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 20, 21, 24, 25 calculated by RSI.
26	Pennsylvania Department of Education. (1992). Selected Expenditure Data for Pennsylvania Public Schools, 1990-91, Table 2A. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
27, 28	Pennsylvania Department of Education. (1992). Selected Expenditure Data for Pennsylvania Public Schools, 1990-91, Table 2B. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
29	Pennsylvania Department of Education. (1992). Selected Expenditure Data for Pennsylvania Public Schools, 1990-91, Table 4B. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
30 - 33	Calculated by RSI. A.D.M. = Average Daily Membership, W.A.D.M. = Weighted Average Daily Membership.

* For Items 7-10, Graduates to Post Graduate Education is defined as a high school graduate planning to enroll in a two or four year, degree granting college or university, or a specialized degree granting institution.

Table 5
Income, Poverty and
Unemployment Compensation Covered Earnings (1991)
(In Thousands Of Dollars)

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Income / Capita (Mean For 1990)	14068	15450	11489	10794	14790	11286
2	Persons Below Poverty Level (1990)	1283629	643429	224246	102580	988813	294816
3	% Persons Below Poverty Level	10.80	8.42	12.13	12.67	10.48	12.04
4	Families Below Poverty Level (1990)	259117	130637	44957	22270	196285	62832
5	% Families Below Poverty Level	8.16	6.31	8.97	9.99	7.84	9.33
6	Avg Monthly UC Covered Employment	4768517	3276501	617960	236414	4007107	761410
7	Agriculture, Forestry, & Fisheries	517875	439891	66083	11901	449139	68736
8	% Agriculture of Total Earnings	0.43	0.54	0.52	0.26	0.43	0.45
9	Mining (When Reported)	824121	330486	302158	191477	350625	473496
10	% Mining of Total Earnings	0.69	0.41	2.38	4.15	0.34	3.08
11	Construction	5459139	4353125	505538	158516	4863604	595535
12	% Construction of Total Earnings	4.58	5.34	3.98	3.44	4.69	3.88
13	Manufacturing	28948895	21042380	3853193	1497719	24152417	4796478
14	% Manufacturing of Total Earnings	24.30	25.79	30.30	32.49	23.27	31.22
15	Transportation & Public Utilities	7581088	5390902	700564	285431	6655123	925965
16	% Utilities of Total Earnings	6.36	6.61	5.51	6.19	6.41	6.03
17	Wholesale Trade	7367675	5583956	502338	154059	6776502	591173
18	% Wholesale of Total Earnings	6.18	6.84	3.95	3.34	6.53	3.85
19	Retail Trade	10994681	7847714	1298082	508622	9336917	1657764
20	% Retail Trade of Total Earnings	9.23	9.62	10.21	11.03	9.00	10.79
21	Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	8512178	5612877	419459	149811	8012109	500069
22	% Finance of Total Earnings	7.15	6.88	3.30	3.25	7.72	3.26
23	Services	30388386	20371964	2365728	727376	27696471	269 915
24	% Services of Total Earnings	25.51	24.97	18.60	15.78	26.69	17.52
25	Gov't % Gov't Enterprises	18533198	10605619	2701303	923329	15474966	3058232
26	% Gov't Jobs of Total Earnings	15.56	13.00	21.24	20.03	14.91	19.91
27	Unpublished 2-Digit Industries	195038	73325	67838	38162	78543	116495
28	% Unpubl Indust of Total Earnings	0.16	0.09	0.53	0.83	0.08	0.76
29	Total Personal Earnings	119132604	81580787	12716109	4609994	103769972	15362632

Table 5

INCOME, POVERTY & UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION
COVERED EARNINGS (1990)

Item #	Notes
1	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1992). 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 3A. Washington, DC: Data User Service Division.
2, 4	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1992). 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 3A. Washington, DC: Data User Service Division. Items 3, 5 calculated by RSI.
6, 7 - 29 (odd #)	Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry Bureau of Research and Statistics. (1992). Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation Statistics: UC Covered Unemployment and Wages by County and Industry 1991 (Statistical Information Bulletin No. 257). Table 4. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author. Items 8 - 28 (even #) calculated by RSI.

Please note that each item is a percentage of total state values. Where no data is shown, the data has not been disclosed in order to prevent possible identification with an individual employer. Data is not published for those industries with less than twenty-five employees.

Table 6
Employment / Unemployment Data for Selected Years
Average Employment in Thousands of Persons

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Average Employment For 1980	5009.70	3333.80	727.70	314.10	4044.70	965.00
2	Average Unemployment For 1980	425.30	254.20	75.80	34.50	324.20	101.10
3	% Unemployment For 1980	7.83	7.08	9.43	9.90	7.42	9.48
4	Average Employment For 1983	4855.20	3239.90	689.40	302.10	3932.80	922.40
5	Average Unemployment For 1983	649.70	404.00	120.30	50.00	491.40	158.30
6	% Umemployment For 1983	11.80	11.09	14.86	14.20	11.11	14.65
7	Average Employment For 1985	5084.00	3400.10	720.50	311.40	4123.60	960.50
8	Average Unemployment For 1985	443.00	269.10	80.10	35.40	334.90	107.50
9	% Unemployment For 1985	8.00	7.33	10.00	10.21	7.51	10.07
10	Average Employment For 1987	5333.10	3561.60	763.90	327.90	4320.40	1012.70
11	Average Unemployment For 1987	318.90	193.20	55.80	26.50	242.90	76.00
12	% Unemployment For 1987	5.64	5.15	6.81	7.48	5.32	6.98
13	Average Employment For 1988	5470.50	3652.90	793.30	337.70	4420.60	1049.90
14	Average Unemployment For 1988	293.00	174.40	51.90	24.40	221.60	71.40
15	% Unemployment For 1988	5.08	4.56	6.14	6.74	4.77	6.37
16	Average Employment For 1989	5592.50	3737.90	814.60	345.60	4516.40	1076.10
17	Average Unemployment For 1989	264.40	156.40	48.00	23.00	198.60	65.80
18	% Unemployment For 1989	4.51	4.02	5.56	6.24	4.21	5.76
19	Average Employment For 1990	5583.30	3734.00	815.30	345.80	4507.80	1075.50
20	Average Unemployment For 1990	317.50	186.30	58.60	28.50	237.50	80.00
21	% Unemployment For 1990	5.38	4.75	6.71	7.61	5.00	6.92
22	Average Employment For 1991	5524.00	3698.50	809.90	346.30	4452.10	1072.30
23	Average Unemployment For 1991	409.00	242.40	73.30	34.70	308.40	100.10
24	% Unemployment For 1991	6.90	6.15	8.30	9.11	6.48	8.54

Table 6

EMPLOYMENT / UNEMPLOYMENT DATA

Item #	Notes
1 - 6	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1990). Pennsylvania Civilian Labor Force Series by County of Residence 1980 - 1989. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
7 - 9	Pennsylvania Department Public Welfare (1992). Pennsylvania Civilian Labor Force Series by County of Residence 1982 - 1991. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
10 - 18	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1990). Pennsylvania Civilian Labor Force Series by County of Residence 1980 - 1989. Harrisburg, Pa: Author.
19 - 21	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1990). Pennsylvania County Planning Data Kit, 1991 Supplement, p. 38. Harrisburg, Pa.: Author.
22 - 24	Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare (1992). Pennsylvania Civilian Labor Force Series by County of Residence 1982 - 1991. Harrisburg, Pa: Author.

Table 7
Selected County Fiscal Data
1991

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Total Revenues	3354603985	2695570775	468930314	190102896	2756738148	597865837
2	Total Revenues / Capita	322.92	350.02	250.74	232.64	348.34	241.62
3	Total Taxes Collected	1208305160	977326298	156500403	74478459	992993076	215312084
4	Total Taxes Collected / Capita	116.31	126.91	83.68	91.14	125.47	87.01
5	Total Expenditures	3381548793	2689013640	502652610	189882543	2746755567	634793226
6	Total Expenditures / Capita	325.51	349.17	268.77	232.37	347.08	256.54

Table 7

SELECTED COUNTY FISCAL DATA (1990)

Item #	Notes
1, 3	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Community Affairs (1993). 1991 Local Government Financial Statistics, Table 1, p. 1. Harrisburg, Pa: Author. Items 2, 4 calculated by RSI from Table 1 utilizing 1991 population estimates. *
5	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Community Affairs (1993). 1991 Local Government Financial Statistics, Table V, p. 5. Harrisburg, Pa: Author. Item 6 calculated by RSI from Table V utilizing 1991 population estimates. *

* Data from Philadelphia County is excluded from state totals.

Table 8a
Selected Population and Housing Data from the 1990 Census

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Total Population	11881643	7637324	1849360	809382	9433256	2448387
2	Total Male Population	5694265	3662040	898056	396406	4506093	1188172
3	% of Total Population	47.92	47.95	48.56	48.98	47.77	48.53
4	Total Female Population	6187378	3975284	951304	412976	4927163	1260215
5	% of Total Population	52.08	52.05	51.44	51.02	52.23	51.47
6	Population Under 18	2794810	1771362	438467	205560	2193968	600842
7	% Under 18	23.52	23.19	23.71	25.40	23.26	24.54
8	Population Over 65	1829106	1177486	286546	124360	1443654	385452
9	% Over 65	15.39	15.42	15.49	15.36	15.30	15.74
10	Total Households	4495966	2901724	690461	300706	3580973	914993
11	Total Family Households	3155989	2058820	497499	221625	2486699	669290
12	% of Total Households	70.20	70.95	72.05	73.70	69.44	73.15
13	Total Married Couple Families	2502072	1674015	414523	186347	1942787	559285
14	% of Family Households	79.28	81.31	83.32	84.08	78.13	83.56
15	% of Total Households	55.65	57.69	60.04	61.97	54.25	61.12
16	Total Male Householders	146909	87907	20978	9536	118465	28444
17	% of Family Households	4.65	4.27	4.22	4.30	4.76	4.25
18	Total Female Householders	507008	296898	61998	25742	425447	81561
19	% of Family Households	16.06	14.42	12.46	11.62	17.11	12.19
20	Total Non Family Households	1339977	842904	192962	79081	1094274	245703
21	% of Total Households	29.80	29.05	27.95	26.30	30.56	26.85
22	Total Householders Living Alone	1150694	725762	164740	69663	935121	215573
23	% of Nonfamily Households	85.87	86.10	85.37	88.09	85.46	87.74
24	Total Householders Over 65	526264	329760	84167	36779	413131	113133
25	% of Non Family Households	39.27	39.12	43.62	46.51	37.75	46.04

Table 8b
Selected Population and Housing Data from the 1990 Census

	Variable	State	Urban	Urban Influence	Rural	CRP Urban	CRP Rural
1	Total Population (1990)	11881643	7637324	1849360	809382	9433256	2448387
2	Total Caucasions	10520201	7066858	1804847	799910	8114118	2406083
3	% of Total Population	88.54	92.53	97.59	98.83	86.02	98.27
4	Total Blacks	1089795	423571	29118	5170	1063504	26291
5	% of Total Population	9.17	5.55	1.57	0.64	11.27	1.07
6	Total All Other Races	271647	146895	15395	4302	255634	16013
7	% of Total Population	2.29	1.92	0.83	0.53	2.71	0.65
8	Total Hispanics Any Race	232262	127079	12207	3783	216255	16007
9	% of Total Population	1.95	1.66	0.66	0.47	2.29	0.65
10	Total Housing Units	4938140	3074546	782563	406132	3837811	1100329
11	Total Occupied Housing Units	4495966	2901724	690461	300706	3580973	914993
12	% of Housing Units	91.05	94.38	88.23	74.04	93.31	83.16
13	Total Owner Occupied Units	3176121	2062964	508202	231354	2486754	689367
14	% of Occupied Housing Units	70.64	71.09	73.60	76.94	69.44	75.34
15	Total Renter Occupied Units	1319845	838760	182259	69352	1094219	225626
16	% of Occupied Housing Units	29.36	28.91	26.40	23.06	30.56	24.66
17	Total Vacant Housing Units	442174	172822	92102	105426	256838	185336
18	% of Total Housing Units	8.95	5.62	11.77	25.96	6.69	16.84
19	Total Seasonal or Recreational Units	144359	15593	47310	80580	24748	119611
20	% Homeowner Vacancy Rate	1.50	1.42	1.41	1.48	1.53	1.45
21	% Rental Vacancy Rate	7.20	6.82	6.09	6.79	7.38	6.48
22	Average Persons Per Owner Occup Unit	2.72	2.73	2.68	2.69	2.73	2.68
23	Average Persons Per Renter Occup Unit	2.19	2.13	2.30	2.35	2.16	2.32
24	Total Units Over 1 Person Per Room	82518	38970	10745	4490	69441	13077
25	% Of Total Occupied Units	1.84	1.34	1.56	1.49	1.94	1.43
26	Mobile Homes, Trailers & Other Units	320213	145863	90075	77481	162675	157538
27	% of Occupied Housing	7.12	5.03	13.05	25.77	4.54	17.22

Table 8a

SELECTED POPULATION & HOUSING DATA

Item #	Notes
1, 2, 4, 6-10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 25	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1992). 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 3A. Washington, DC: Data User Service Division. Items 3, 5, 13, 15, 18, 20, 24, 26 calculated by RSI.

Table 8b (continued)

Item #	Notes
1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21-24, 26, 28, 29	U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (1992). 1990 Census of Population of Housing: Summary Tape File 3A. Washington, DC: Data User Services Division. Items 3, 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 25, 27 calculated by RSI.